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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Passenger train on the Southern derailed by train wreckers, near Louisville, Ky., and eight men seriously injured. —— Bookbinders in the government printing office abandoned their intention of striking against reinstatement of W. A. Miller. —— —— The New York Stock Market was again feverish and excited; no additional failures were announced. —— In a fight between officers and illicit distillers in Wise county, Va., two men were killed. —— Commercial hotel at Nashville, Tenn., badly damaged by fire. —— Work of construction has begun on the extension of the Rabun Gap railroad. —— A new warship for the Sultan of Turkey was launched yesterday at Cramps' shipyard. —— The body of Pope Leo was interred in St. Peter's last night. —— A race war broke out last night in Danville, Ill.; a mob lynched an unknown refugee from Evansville, Indiana, and attacked the county jail to lynch another negro. —— New York markets: Money on call firmer, at 2@4 per cent; cotton—quiet at 13.50c; flour was moderately active; wheat—spot firm, No. 2 red 81c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 58c.; oats—spot dull, No. 2 40½c; rosin strong, spirits turpentine firm at 53½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 25.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 77 degrees; 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 2.91 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 2.4 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Temperatures are generally slightly lower in the eastern and are rising in the western portion of the belt. Local rains have fallen in most districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—For North Carolina—Fair Sunday and Monday; light southeast to south winds.

Port Almanac—July 26.

Sun Rises	5.02 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.10 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 6 M.
High Water at Southport	9.34 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	12.04 A. M.

General Young, who is soon to be the head of the United States army, began his military career as a private in the Twelfth Pennsylvania infantry, says the Buffalo *Express*.

Madden's fine thoroughbred stallion was burnt to death in his stall at Hamburg Place, Ky., this week. The animal was valued at $100,000. Some pretty steep values are placed on horse flesh in that State.

That Buffalo confidential law clerk, Frank Labountie, made a pretty good sized swipe from his employers' till, if all reports are correct. The figures are now approaching the half million mark, and the investigation is not near finished.

It is said that the export price of wheat for the last fiscal year was 4 cents per bushel higher than in the previous year and flour averaged $3.75 per barrel, a slight increase. The actual value of the export of these items was $161,512,000, or $17,000,000 less than in 1902.

And so Mrs. Wilhelmina Grace Barrington succeeded in getting a divorce from her husband, "Lord" Federick Seymour Barrington. She married Barrington in St. Louis, she says, believing his representations that he was an English lord. Well, it is to be hoped that she will not be so easily duped hereafter.

A Richmond, Va., special to the Baltimore *Sun* says a conservative estimate of the financial loss caused by the late strike of the conductors and motormen of the Virginia Passenger and Power Company and the cost of suppressing the attendant disorders places the amount not far short of $200,000.

President Roosevelt takes his stand firmly on the principle of no discrimination between union and non-union labor. He will not consider the charges made by the bookbinders' union against W. A. Miller, the assistant foreman in the Government Printing Office, whose reinstatement has been ordered.

Miss Bertha Dawson, of Washington City, is a remarkable swimmer. She took a small row boat a few days ago and, with her sister, pulled out into the Great South Bay, L. I., about three miles from shore. Then, in an attractive bathing suit, she swam to the shore, which she reached a few yards behind her sister, who pulls a strong oar and had tried to leave a gap of half a mile between them. This the rower failed to do.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Church notices, 2nd page.

— Rev. J. N. Cole will occupy his pulpit at Grace M. E. church, morning and evening, as usual to day.

— A large excursion party of both white and colored persons left on the regular afternoon train yesterday for Charleston.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Three hundred and seventy-three cantaloupes were sent North in a refrigerator car to-day, consigned by H. T. Drake."

— The committees appointed to make arrangements for the Fort Fisher reunion will meet Monday night at the Murchison National Bank.

— The employes of the Wilmington Iron Works were guests of Capt. John W. Harper on the steamer "Wilmington" yesterday afternoon.

— Ida Anderson, colored, previously sentenced to 20 days by the mayor for disorderly conduct, will be tried in Justice Bornemann's court for assault with a deadly weapon.

— The funeral of the late James E. Noble, who was killed in the accident at the Angola mill Friday, was conducted at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and the remains were interred in Bellevue cemetery.

— Alberba Teachy, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was sent to jail for 30 days by Justice Bornemann yesterday. The defendant had figured in several law suits lately, hence the rather severe sentence.

— David Nichols, colored, was charged in Justice Bornemann's court yesterday with an assault with a deadly weapon at the instance of Viola Edwards, colored, who couldn't sustain the charge, and was taxed with the costs.

— Justice Fowler in his happiest manner yesterday afternoon in his office performed the marriage ceremony, which joined in matrimony Miss Clara Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ass Franklin, and Mr. James Curran, of Sumter, S. C.

— Local speculators are said to have been "hard hit" by the slump in stocks the closing days of last week. One man is quoted as having said that he knew of a party who had lost $14,000 or $15,000, while any number have lost from $1,000 to $3,000.

— Atlanta *Constitution* 25th: "The special excursion carrying Rev. Len Broughton, the choir of the Tabernacle church and some 200 others, arrived yesterday noon over the Seaboard from Wrightsville Beach, N. C. All report having enjoyed the best kind of a time."

— The only case before the mayor yesterday was that in which James Colvin, colored, was charged by Policeman C. T. Croom with disorderly conduct around the "merry-go-round" at Seventh and Queen streets. The environment was taken into consideration and Colvin was let off with the costs.

— By deed filed for record yesterday Samuel Blossom and wife transferred to the trustees of the Sons and Daughters of Daniel No. 193, Independent Order of Good Samaritans and Daughters of Samaria of America, for $50, tract of land, 105x420 feet in size, near Castle Hayne, in Cape Fear township.

— Mr. Edwin Y. Davis has been elected secretary and treasurer of John F. Garrell & Company, to succeed Mr. Jos. D. Smith, who will remove to High Point to manage an insurance company. Mr. Davis is a clever and capable young business man and his promotion from cashier is a deserved recognition of efficient service.

In Memory of Pope Leo.

There will be a solemn mass of requiem for the repose of the soul of the late Holy Father, Leo XIII, at St. Thomas' church, Monday at nine o'clock. The service will be of an impressive nature. The exterior and interior of the church have been draped and will remain draped in mourning until the election of Leo's successor. All are cordially invited to attend the service.

Newspaper to Insurance.

Mr. Milton McIntosh has resigned the editorship of the Pender *Chronicle*, of Burgaw, and associated himself with Mr. Gaston L. Myers in the insurance business. They are district agents for the Mutual Life with offices in the Masonic Temple. The Pender *Chronicle* has temporarily suspended publication.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wanted—A distiller.
H. L. Vollers—Cuban blossom.
Wrightsville Beach—Special rate.
F. E. Hashagen Co.—Bread, Cake.
People's Savings Bank-Women folks
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Deposits.
Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.—If you have funds.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

To Rent—Part of dwelling.
To Rent—Diamond Saloon.
Free Concert—At Wrightsville.
Wanted—Boarders at $3.50 per week

— Mr. George T. Hanes, the clever insurance man, returned to Raleigh yesterday.

New and stunning, always running, rolley cars to Wrightsville Beach. ‡

Surf bathing is popular at Wrightsville Beach. ‡

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NEAR TO DROWNING.

Miraculous Escape of Two White Men in a Small Boat Last Night.

MANY CONFUSED REPORTS.

Brothers in Skiff Run Down by Passenger Barge and Plunged Into the River—One Rescued, While the Other Clung to the Canoe.

Lower Market street was thrown into a fever of excitement early last night over a report, widely circulated, that a small row boat in which two, and perhaps three, men were seated, had been capsized in the river and that one or two of the occupants had been drowned and a third had been brought ashore in almost a lifeless condition. Crowds gathered about the dock where the man rescued was being rolled and turned in the usual manner of resuscitating those brought ashore from drowning accidents. Fortunately the man was soon revived, and in about an hour it was developed that no one had been drowned! though two men had come as near to meeting that fate as usually occurs.

The man at the dock proved to be Ed. Herring, a white man well known in the city, who was more dead than alive from his experience. Dr. Andrew H. Harriss was quickly summoned and after administering temporary restoratives, sent him to the hospital in the patrol wagon. As it afterwards proved, there was only one other man in the boat with him and that was his brother, James Ell Herring, familiarly known as "L" Herring. The two men had been drinking to some extent and had been in the boat around Market dock nearly all the afternoon. Their brother, Mr. G. W. Herring, hearing of their condition, earlier in the evening went to Market dock but found that the boat with the two men in it was drifting with the tide up the river. He borrowed another boat from Wesley Evans, the colored restaurant keeper on the south side of the dock, rowed out to the men and persuaded them to return to the dock and go home. Mr. G. W. Herring then went to his own home and Messrs. "L." and Ed Herring started to row their boat, against the tide, down the river. As they were passing close to the shore, off Brooks & Taylor's warehouse, the tug "Imperial," having a barge heavily laden with colored excursionists, put out from the wharf for a trip down the river. The barge ran squarely into the small boat and the two men were thrown into the river. The accident was witnessed by Mr. A. G. Martin and wife, who had strolled down to the river for the breeze. The men shouted for help and Capt. A. A. Milliken, of the schooner "J. C. Allen," lying close by, launched a small boat and went to the rescue. He reached the scene in time to save Ed Herring and bring him to Market street dock. "L." Herring, it afterwards appeared, clung to the capsized boat and after the lapse of an hour, drifted in near the Coal, Cement & Supply Co's wharf, down the river, and came back to inquire as to the fate of his brother. It then became known that no one was drowned. The fact that Mr. G. W. Herring went out to the men in a boat earlier in the night gave rise to the report that three men were in the canoe, but such was not the case.

Commercial Pacific Cables.

The Commercial-Pacific cables operated in direct connection with the land lines of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company will be opened for cable business to and from the Philippine and Ladrone Islands, China, Japan and Cores, on and after Saturday, July 25, 1903. As Manila time is considerably in advance of San Francisco time, business from Manila may be looked for on Friday afternoon. The Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, in direct connections with the Commercial Pacific Cable, announces that on and after Saturday, July 25, 1903, the rate between San Francisco and Honolulu will be reduced from fifty cents to thirty-five cents per word.

Excursion From Sanford.

An excursion of about 375 people reached the city yesterday from Sanford, N. C., and returned last night at 8 o'clock. Capt. Haywood Clark brought the train down and Capt. T. O. Bunting, Jr., returned with it last night. Railroad men say this has been the biggest excursion season for several years. Special trains are constantly in demand. The one yesterday was the same used by Hatch Bros. Friday, Capt. Clark having carried it down to Fayetteville and up to Sanford upon the return with the Hatch excursion to Wilson Friday night.

Fayetteville Observer Personal.

Fayetteville *Observer*, 25th: "Mrs. J. B. Underwood has returned from Wrightsville Beach. —— Miss Maggie Carson returned from Wilmington this morning. —— Miss Sadie Smith went down to Wilmington yesterday to visit relatives. —— Mrs. T. A. Smoot and children returned from Wilmington at noon to-day. —— Mr. J. A. Moore went down to Wilmington yesterday to join his wife at Wrightsville Beach."

Sailing is a popular pastime at Wrightsville Beach. The sharpies are doing great business. ‡

Free concert at Wrightsville Beach Casino from 4 to 6 P. M.—see other columns for programme.

LOCAL SHIPPING MATTERS.

Schooner Cleared With Cross Ties—Big Tramp Steamer Ashore Down River. Arrivals and Departures.

Steamer "City of Fayetteville" arrived yesterday and cleared for the return trip at 3 P. M.

Schooner "Arthur V. S. Woodruff," 155 tons, Capt. Devereaux, arrived yesterday from New York.

Schooner "Oliver H. Brown," 950 tons, Capt. Heyers, cleared yesterday for New York, with cargo of 23,700 cross ties, consigned by the Parmele-Eccleston Lumber Co. Record time was made in loading the "Brown." She carries a very large cargo.

British steamer "Undaunted," 2,026 tons, Capt. Elliott, arrived yesterday from Bremen, with a large cargo of kainit for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company. While passing up the river yesterday from Southport, drawing about 22 feet of water, she went ashore down the stream, but expects to float on this morning's tide without damage. British steamer "Tantallon," which went ashore Friday in the river above Wilmington was successfully floated yesterday forenoon and proceeded to Navassa to discharge cargo of kainit.

TELEPHONE OFFICIALS RETURNED.

Visit Had No Special Significance—The Contemplated Increase in Rates.

Mr. W. T. Gentry, vice president and general manager; Mr. D. I. Carson, secretary and treasurer, and District Superintendent M. B. Spier, all officials of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., left yesterday for their respective headquarters in New York, Atlanta and Charlotte after a pleasure and official visit to Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach. While here they were shown every courtesy by Mr. T. S. McManus, the clever manager of the company's interests in Wilmington.

Asked yesterday if the visit of those officials to Wilmington had any significance in connection with the contemplated increase of 'phone rates in Wilmington, Mr. McManus said that it had none; that an increase in rates would necessarily follow the greatly improved service, but that the schedule had already been made up and the only question was the time at which it would go into effect. The visit of the officials was purely on pleasure and to look over the splendid equipment now in service in Wilmington.

SUES C. R., L. & P. CO. FOR $20,000.

Frank D. Irving Alleges Injuries to That Extent in Car Collision.

Through his attorneys, Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy and L. V. Grady, Esq., Frank D. Irving, shipping clerk for Swift & Co. in this city, yesterday instituted suit against the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co., for damages received about a month ago in the collision of a street car and a buggy in which young Mr. Irving was riding with Col. W. B. Fort, the well known railroad man of Pikeville, N. C., who was on his way to the railroad station.

The complaint in the suit will be filed Monday and will allege $20,000 damages, by reason of injuries, internal and external, received by the young man. It will be remembered that the accident occurred at Front and Grace streets and was not thought to have been serious at the time. Messrs. Davis & Davis are attorneys for the defendant company.

SUNDAY CONCERT AT CASINO.

Programme to be Rendered by Prof. Brannon's Orchestra This Afternoon.

Following will be the programme rendered by Prof. Brannon's Orchestra at the Casino, Wrightsville Beach, between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock this evening:

March—Electric Wave.....Sutton
Selection—The Little Duchess.....DeKoven
Overture—"Pique Dame."....Von Suppe
Waltzes—Au Revoir.....Waldteufel
Selection—"The Jolly Musketeer"....Edwards
Spanish Wedding—Serenade.....Silva
Selection From Faust
The Rose Dance.....Stohl
Berceuse, Jocelyn—Violin Solo.....Goddard
Herr Casino.....Brannon
March—"On Duty".....Rosey

Railroad Condemnation Proceedings.

Clerk of the Court Johnson, of Pender county, yesterday rendered a decision in favor of the Holly Shelter Railroad Co., in the condemnation proceedings recently argued before him at Burgaw. The question was upon certain matters of law and the clerk will now on Aug. 5th hear an argument as to matters of fact.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen will hold a special meeting Monday afternoon or night if City Attorney Bellamy returns in time to make a report upon the controversy between the city and the owners of the Rothwell property on Third street as to the ownership of two feet of the alley between the property and the Odd Fellow building.

Funeral of a Child.

Impressive funeral services were conducted from the family residence at 4 P. M. yesterday by Revs. R. W. Hogue and F. M. Shamburger over the remains of Minor Horace, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Bishop, whose sad death occurred of typhoid fever Friday afternoon. The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale.

Spend the day at Wrightsville Beach. ‡

Free concert at Casino to-day from 4 to 6 P. M. ‡

MID-SUMMER WEEK.

Consolidated Railways, Light & Power Co. Will Inaugurate a New Feature.

SPECIAL RAILWAY RATES.

After 7 O'clock Twenty-five Cents Round Trip Fare Will Be in Effect—Brilliant Attraction at the Casino. Concerts Every Day.

Beginning to-morrow the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company will inaugurate a grand Special Mid-Summer Week at Wrightsville Beach during which a round-trip rate of 25 cents will be in effect on the cars evenings after 7 o'clock and rare entertainment will be provided for those who care to take a run to the seashore. The move has been contemplated for some time by the management, but not until yesterday were all arrangements perfected. It is safe to say that the present week will witness larger crowds at the beach than ever before.

In an advertisement in another column, official notice of the Mid-Summer Week is given. The concession in rates will be appreciated by the public and many will take advantage of it. On and after the hour named only three regular tickets will be collected for fare between Wilmington and the beach and vice versa. By purchasing the six tickets at one time, the fare will be only 25c.

The best vaudeville of the season will be on the boards at The Casino and there will be free dancing and free concerts every night. A programme for each day will be arranged and announced through the public prints. At present it is enough to say that the C. R, L. & P. Co. proposes to make it the banner week of the season.

It is an announcement extraordinary which The Casino makes for the week. Manager Schloss went to New York and telegraphs that he has secured the greatest company of vaudeville artists ever seen in the South. It will be headed by the celebrated Irish comedian Joe Conlon, who is well known to Wilmingtonians. He will be seen in up-to-date songs and dances. Another popular feature will be "The Florodora Girls," the Browning sisters, presenting their latest New York success, costumed beautifully and staged elaborately. The Great McCowan, European musical artist, will also been seen in a new and up-to-date comedy sketch. Hill, Edmunds & Co., form a trio of comedians, fresh from the Proctor circuit, who are destined to become great favorites. The performances open each night at 9 o'clock. Saturday matinee at 4 P. M.

Educational Rallies.

Prof. Jno. E. Ray and Hon. Walter M. Thompson will speak at educational rallies at Wallace Aug. 3.; Rose Hill, Aug. 4th.; Warsaw, Aug. 5th, and Kenansville, Aug. 6th. Hon. Walter M. Thompson will also speak at rallies in Brunswick county as follows: Bryants Chapel, Aug. 11.; Leland, Aug. 11th. (night); Town Creek, Aug. 12th.; Dawe's Creek Academy, Aug. 12th, (night); Southport, Aug. 13th; Lockwood's Folly, Aug. 13th (night); Shallotte, Aug, 14th.; Ashe, Aug. 14th, (night); Iredell, Aug. 15.

Railroad Automobile.

Mr. S. K. Fountain, agent for the Atlantic Coast Line at Rocky Mount, arrived yesterday, a distance of 124 miles, on a railroad automobile of his own manufacture. Mr. Fountain fitted up an old hand car with storage batteries and fitted appliances to convert the electricity into motive power. The cars works easily and attracted much attention under the shed at the station yesterday.

TO INSPECT SECOND REGIMENT.

Governor and Party Gone to Morehead from Raleigh—Break Tuesday.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 25.—Adjutant General B. S. Royster, Col. Francis Macon, Col. Alfred Williams and Col. P. M. Pearsall left to-night for Morehead City to join Governor Aycock and inspect the Second Regiment, North Carolina National Guard, in camp there. The inspection will be held Monday. Camp breaks Tuesday.

Bankrupicy Proceedings.

Fayetteville *Observer*: "Before S. H. MacRae, Esq, Referee in Bankruptcy, there was a hearing yesterday in the matter of Jas. H. Johnson, bankrupt, the entire afternoon being consumed in the examination of Mr. P. Pearsall and Mr. Johnston. The other creditors are attacking a preference claimed by McNair & Pearsall of Wilmington, because of a morigage given that firm by the bankrupt."

Tobacco Break To-morrow.

Another big tobacco break will take place at the Wilmington warehouse Monday. Nearly 50,000 pounds of the yellow leaf are on the floor and the sale will be a great one. Prices will be tip-top.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*, 25: "Mr. L. A. Carr, of Durham, was here yesterday on his way to Wilmington and Morehead City. He is just back from a trip to New York, where he attended a meeting of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company."

Everybody is going to Wrightsville Beach to-day—are you going? ‡

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Milton C. Elliott arrived yesterday.

— Mr. Jno. T. Quarles, of Raleigh is at The Orton.

— Mr. Tom McInerny left yesterday for Charleston.

— Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Sanders are visiting relatives in Beaufort, N. C.

— Mr. C. E. Ahearn, of Fayetteville, registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Mr. Clarence D. Maffitt left yesterday on a business trip to Halifax, N. C.

— Mr. B. F. Keith left yesterday to spend several days at Panacea Springs.

— Mr. W. O. Lockamy, of Fayetteville, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Mrs. R. W. Wallace and little daughter left yesterday to visit in Rocky Mount.

— Mr. P. H. Sears, of the Whiteville Lumber Co., spent a few hours in the city yesterday.

— Masters Henry and Jack Thompson are visiting Mrs. J. O. Castleberry, of Atlanta, Ga.

— Miss Maie O'Berry, of Goldsboro, has accepted a position as cashier at Solomon's Shoe Store.

— Mr. Benjamin Bell returned last night from Baltimore, where he attended the Elks' reunion.

— Messrs. W. R. Moss and W. O. Bennett, of Wadesboro, arrived yesterday en route to the beach.

— Messrs. Jas. F. Woolvin and Julius P. Taylor have returned from the Elks' reunion at Baltimore.

— Messrs. T. E. Sligh, N. L. Harrell and Bright Williamson, of Darlington, S. C., arrived yesterday.

— The many friends of Mr. John E. Wood will regret to know that he is confined to his home by illness.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rehder have returned from Hot Springs, N. C., where they spent several weeks.

— Miss Della Newby, of Swainsboro, Ga., is the charming guest of Mrs. James F. Woolvin, 503 Chesnut street.

— Mrs. H. K. Holden and daughter, Miss Fannie Dyer, left yesterday for Savannah to visit Mrs. George R. Dyer.

— Mrs. Thos. A. Geddie, of Fayetteville, is in the city, visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Meredith, 207 North Third street.

— Mr. Jno. B. Stronach, of Raleigh, with the National Cash Register Co., arrived yesterday and is a guest at The Orton.

— Editor J. Plummer Wiggins, of the Laurinburg *Exchange*, spent yesterday in the city and went up to Burgaw last night.

— Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powers and Miss Mabel Powers, of Atlanta, will arrive early in August to spend several weeks at Wrightsville Beach.

— Capt. J. M. Woolard, superintendent of streets, left yesterday afternoon for Savannah, Ga., to visit his father-in-law, Mr. N. Jenkins.

— Mr. Charles E. Johnson, the prominent cotton merchant of Raleigh, accompanied by his wife, is spending some time at the Seashore Hotel.

— Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Shrier and Miss Annie Shrier, of New York, are visiting Mrs. Shrier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Goodman, 106 North Fifth street.

— Mrs. A. W. Allen and children left yesterday afternoon for Florence, S. C., to visit Mrs. Allen's sister and brother, Mr. A. L. Walton and Mrs. Geo. N. Lewis.

— Mrs. E. M. Nadal, of Wilson, N. C., is visiting Miss Blanche Fentress and her brother at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fentress, 411 North Second street.

— Rev. C. S. Farriss, of DeLand, Fla., and Editor J. J. Farriss, of the High Point *Enterprise*, are guests of their brother, Mr. W. A. Farriss, No. 408 North Front street.

— Miss Louisa E. Justice, of Newbern who has spent the past week, the guest of Mrs. C. H. Horton, 109½ Dock street, expect to return to her home to-morrow over the W. & N. R. R.

— Mr. Lawrence B. Pinner sailed on the Clyde Liner "Carib" yesterday afternoon en route to Poughkeepsie N. Y., to take a commercial course at the celebrated business college there.

— Rev. L. B. Boney was in the city yesterday. He recently took charge of a church in Gunnison, Miss., but has resigned and is now located at Chadbourn, N. C., doing evangelistic work.

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Best Vaudeville of the Season.

Free Dancing and Free Concert every night. Other attractions. Watch papers for daily programme.

NOTE—During this week only three regular tickets will be collected for fare between Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach in either direction on cars leaving terminals on and after 7:30 P. M.

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35 Boxes Pulverized Borax.
50 Dozen Essence Cinnamon.
50 Dozen Essence Lemon.
60 Dozen 1 ounce Laudanum.
55 Dozen 2 ounce Laudinum.
35 Dozen 1 ounce Paregoric.
75 Dozen ½ ounce Quinine.
40 Dozen 2 ounce Castor Oil.
35 Dozen 4 ounce Castor Oil.
80 Dozen 1 pint Castor Oil.
54 Dozen Spirits Nitre.
500 pounds Salts.
other Drugs, C. C. Pills, Blue Mass, Assafœtida, Sewing Machine Oil, Bateman's Drops, etc., etc.

Virginia Water Ground Meal. We are leaders on these goods, keeping nothing but fresh goods in stock at all times at right prices.

STONE & COMPANY.
jy 24 tf

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WEEK JULY 27TH

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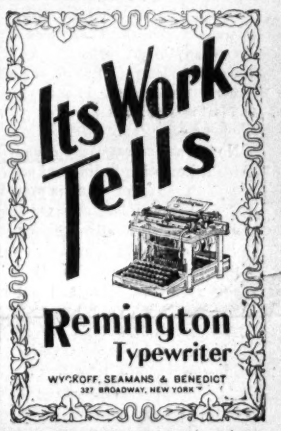
jy 20 tf.



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The Morning Star

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 26.

COMING FINANCIAL LEGISLATION.

Philadelphia *Press*: There is hardly room for doubt that the financial question will be taken up for consideration at the extra session of Congress in November. The Cuban treaty, the first subject for consideration, will not occupy much time, unless Cuba does some foolish thing, which is improbable. Cuba has already ratified the treaty in regard to naval stations, and there only remains the one relating to the Platt amendment. That is rather pro forma, as it is already embodied in the Cuban Constitution. But a refusal to ratify it might create distrust and delay in Congress.

Representative Cannon, who will be the next Speaker, is known to be very conservative on the financial question, which was probably the foundation of the recent report that he was opposed to currency legislation. While refusing to discuss the report further than to say that "any one attempting to prevent the majority from working its will would write himself down worse than an ass and a knave," yet he is not anxious for such legislation. But Senator Lodge's statement on Thursday, after consultation with the President, makes it clear that there will be currency legislation at the extra session in November, at least in the Senate at that time and probably in the House. Some railroads have recently negotiated loans at 5 and 6 per cent. If that rate is charged now the situation will be much worse in the period of moving the crops.

There is a difference of opinion as to what legislation is needed; but it is certain that no very radical measure can pass Congress. Senator Lodge says that the President hopes and desires that early action may be taken along the lines of his message and speeches since he became president. That does not mean anything radical. A bill something along the line of the Aldrich bill, which passed the Senate at the last session, will probably prove the most acceptable.

No great increase of currency is needed, excepting in times of emergency. That extra issue is provided for, and should be so taxed that it will be retired after the emergency is over. That would do away with clearing house certificates and such expedients. Mr. A. P. Hepburn, the New York banker and former comptroller of the currency, advocates a 6 per cent. tax on this emergency, [and as it will not be based on a deposit of bonds or other securities that perhaps would not be too much. The successful operation of such a system in Germany proves its worth.

The scheme for an asset currency, advocated in the last Congress by the majority of the House Committee on Banking and Currency, cannot now pass Congress. Mr. Cannon is strongly opposed to that measure, and it receives no favor in the Senate Finance Committee. It would, under the circumstances, be a waste of time to consider it. At some future time it may receive more favor. Mr. Fowler favors it, and so do others, but they generally agree that it could not pass now.

While favoring some currency legislation, Chairman Payne, of the last Ways and Means, says that he "does not believe in any radical measures of currency reform," and that he "would support a measure in the nature of the Aldrich bill as modified and reintroduced by himself near the close of the last session." The expression of opinion by individual members indicate some moderate legislation of that kind which would meet present needs.

BOSTON'S AUTOMOBILE POLICEMEN.

Ingenious Bostonians have discovered a new use for the automobile, says the New York *Sun*. It is made to protect the interests of people in the Back Bay district.

In past years, while many of the residents of that part of Boston have been away for the Summer and their town houses have been closed, vandals and petty thieves have had a merry time of it. The approach of the mounted police was easily detected by the clatter of the horses' hoofs, and it was not very difficult to evade the policemen on foot. Now the path of the evildoers is not so rosy. They have found an arch enemy in the automobile, which is being used to patrol Boston's fashionable neighborhood.

This vehicle is in charge of a chauffeur and carries a policeman in civilian's attire. It goes out in the morning and covers every part of the Back Bay region at a speed of from five to seven miles an hour. In the course of a day it travels fifty or sixty miles, or nearly twice the distance covered by any member of the mounted force.

The Boston police department's records show that since the installation of this new service, a few weeks ago, scarcely a day has passed without the arrest by the automobile "cop" of at least one offender, and that, in a single day, he has gathered in as many as four thieves, unaided. As the summer season advances and the harvesting period of the thieves shortens they become bolder and more active; hence the automobile officer is expected to be kept very busy during the next six weeks.

So great has been the success of this experiment that it is reported the police department intends to have an automobile squad comprising six machines before the end of July. With such a force it will be possible to patrol several of the outlying districts of the town, and also to increase the auto-policemen's duties. For example, scorchers of all varieties and degrees of recklessness will be taken care of, and there will be no escape for the hog who demands the whole road.

Experience has shown that the drivers of high-powered automobiles in New York, when plainly exceeding the legal speed limit, have been able to "give the laugh" to policemen on bicycles. The power of steam, gasolene or electricity, as the case might be, has been too great for human muscle to overcome, and, consequently, the scorchers have triumphed. Now their days of misdoing around Boston are numbered, and the method employed to subdue them may appeal to the police authorities elsewhere.

CURRENT COMMENT

—— There is a town in Pennsylvania which lately evolved one of the most remarkable juries on record. This jury, trying school directors accused of extortion from teachers, rendered a verdict acquitting the accused and sentencing them to be reprimanded by the court. The only inference is that they are to be riprimanded for being not guilty. This jury should be carefully preserved in alcohol and deposited for the benefit of future admiring ages in the Smithsonian institution.—*Baltimore American.*

—— Our recent history strongly emphasizes the demand that the laws as to the acceptance of aliens be amended—that more severe and certain measures of restriction be adopted, and that the policy of the steamship companies in raking the slums of Europe for emigrants be discouraged. The government need be hampered in this matter by no consideration that we absolutely need more people. Good and useful new citizens we want. But we have no need for more beggars, push cart peddlers or illiterate and wholly unskilled cheap labor. There is positive danger in next year's threatened million.—*New York World, Dem.*

—— Let it be understood that the route to political preferment was by way of the bench, and ambitious politicians would seek judicial positions, and, having secured them, would cater to the party from which they hoped political offices. There is nothing in the entire range of judicial duties that schools a man for success in politics. And the only element of a judge's availability as a candidate for a high executive position is his lack of record. That is why Mr. Quay took Pennypacker as an offering to the insurgents. And that is why a New York judge has been talked of as a Democratic Presidential candidate.—*Washington Post, Ind. Rep.*

TWINKLINGS

—It is significant that few women's hats seem to be designed for a level head.—*Puck.*

—"Pa, what do they mean by 'the flower of the family?'" "A blooming nuisance, usually!"—*Puck.*

—When politics makes strange bedfellows, both of them lose lots of sleep for fear the other will get up first.—*Puck.*

—'Was his marriage a success?" "I should say it was. He has tried to secure a divorce in South Dakota, New York, Oklahoma and England, and his marriage still holds."—*Brooklyn Life.*

—"Don't you think it would be a good idea to denounce the trusts?" "What's the use?" said Senator Sorghum. "The public wouldn't believe a word of it, and some of the trusts might take it in earnest and be annoyed."—*Washington Star.*

—The Master—"Well, Pat, did you plant those carnations from London wide apart as I told you?" Pat—"Faith, and I did, sorr. I put half of 'em in your honor's garden, and t'other half in me own!"—*Ally Sloper.*

—"What I want," said the coy maid of more or less uncertain years, "is a hat that will suit my complexion." "Oh," exclaimed the milliner, with sudden inspiration: "I have a hand-painted hat in the window that I'm sure will be just what you want."—*Chattanooga News.*

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The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, and brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— A terrific wind and hail storm passed over the Albemarle section last Thursday, causing a loss of about $20,000.

— Yadkin *Ripple*: We are informed that there are about fifteen cases of smallpox in and around East Bend, this county.

— The Baptist Female University at Raleigh will erect a music building on its grounds, which, it is said, will cost at least $25,000.

— Catawba *News*: M. A. Bolch, the noted trader and saw mill man, sold his mill one day and bought it back the next. You cannot back him down when it comes to a trade.

— Hon. Theo. F. Kluttz says that the number of females in Rowan county exceed the number of males by six. In Salisbury the females are in the majority by ninety-five.

Mr. Frank Suttles, of Armstrong, was felling a bee tree when it lodged in the limb of another tree and this limb breaking fell upon Mr Suttles, inflicting injuries from which he may die.

— A wreck occurred on the Southern Railway, four miles from Raleigh, Thursday morning, when a freight train ran into another at Garner. One man, J. F. Fowler, was injured and has been carried to the hospital.

— Lexington *Dispatch*: Lindsay Cutting, Lexington's 75 pound midget, was married at Fort Mill, S. C., last Wednesday night, to Miss Mary Ray, of Salisbury. Miss Ray is a large and handsome young woman, weighing possibly 175 pounds. Mr. Cutting is less than five feet high and it is doubtful if he can balance the scales at 75 pounds.

—Gastonia *Gazette*: The apple crop is better than usual this year. In the Cherryville section it is said to be abundant. A few days ago, Mr. J. R. Shannon and Mr. Will Bradley went into cahoot and took a day off to make cider over in Cherryville township. They came back home with about 30 gallons which they made that day at a cost of about $2.50.

— Lexington special to Charlotte *Observer*: Four prisoners in the Davidson county jail were released, it is thought, by outside assistance some time to-night between 7 and 9:30 o'clock. They are Burwell Holland and Glass Oates, white, and John Barber and Henry Thompson, colored. Holland was in jail charged with trying to burn the town; the other prisoners were held for petty larceny.

— Lenoir *Topic*: On the farm of Alphonso Setzer, in Patterson township, there is a most remarkable poplar tree. At the ground, 9½ feet apart, there are two distinct and perfect trees, two feet in diameter, and 25 feet from the ground these unite and form a perfect tree, some three feet in diameter, and is probably 50 or 60 feet in height above where they are joined together.

— High Point *Enterprise*: A very sad occurence was the burning of a bright seven-year old white boy by the name of Farcum, near Macedonia, Thursday morning. The mother had instructed the child to build a fire under a pot in the yard, and the child, before it was discovered, had secured an oil can. The heat from the fire caused the explosion of the can, which ignited the boy's clothing, and he was burned to death before proper assistance could be rendered.

— Newberne *Journal*: The people of Kinston are either driving their idle ones out of town, or compelling them to go to work. They employ an original and very unique plan to ascertain the extent of the leisure one's laziness. When one of the "critters" is spotted, he is approached by some one and offered work. If he says he is out of a job and won't accept the work offered, he is ordered to apperar before the Mayor on a charge of vagrancy. The ruse is effective. His Nibs skips the town or goes to hustling instanter, for his mush.

— Norfolk *Virginian-Pilot*: Jesse Wilson's excursion trip from Elizabeth City, N. C., to Virginia Beach yesterday cost him considerably more than he had originally bargained for. He fell in with an oily confidence operator at the ocean resort and was relieved of $300 in cash, a valuable gold watch and such other articles of personal bric-a-brac that a representative of the sterner sex generally carries in his clothes. Immediately after the robbery the rogue faded away and at last reports his whereabouts were enveloped in a cloak of impenetrable gloom.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For fifteen years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

Reduced Rates

Washington, D. C.—Grand Fountain United Order True Reformers. Tickets on sale August 30th, Sept. 1st and 2d; final limit September 10th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $11.55.

Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal.—National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale July 31st to August 13th; final limit October 15th. Fare round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $64.75. Fee of 50 cents will be charged at destination for validating ticket.

Jackson Springs, N. C.—Mid-summer meeting Baptist State Convention. Tickets sold June 22d to 25th, inclusive; final limit July 2d. Fare round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $5.25.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Preaching at First Baptist church to-day at 11 A. M. No service at night.

St. Thomas' church: First mass, 7 A. M.; last mass, 9 A. M. Monday, 9 A. M. Requiem mass for Pope.

Rev. Geo. B. Webster will conduct the morning service and Tom C. Elders will conduct the evening service at Bladen Street M. E. church to-day.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison Bank Building, on Chestnut street: Services to-day at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Subject of Lesson Sermon, "Love." All are invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev A. G. Voigt, D. D., pastor. English service by Mr. Henry W. A. Hanson to-day at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Everybody cordially invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. C W. Kegley, pastor: Sunday school at 9:45 A. M., and preaching at 11 A. M. No night services. Church council meeting after morning services. Every person welcome.

The Fate of Hannibal.

Hannibal's life and fate were supremely great and sad. He was a patriot who had only the best interests of his country at heart. In the wars of Carthage against Rome he carried his armies across the strait of Gibraltar, over the Alps and into Italy to the very gates of Rome. For more than a score of years he remained there, supporting his forces upon the enemy and proving himself to be such a literal and lasting scourge that the Roman mothers would quiet their children with the sound of his dreaded name. Finally, when old in years and he was driven forth and defeated, he had made a record in its way unparalleled throughout the annals of ancient warfare.

Yet in his old age he became a fugitive, wandering from one country to the other and finding no rest, owing to the vindictive persecutions of the Romans, who were then all powerful. At last, discovering no spot on earth open to him as a refuge, deserted by his former friends, his country enslaved and his once imperial native city in ruins, he gave way to despair and ended his life with poison.

Crafty M. Blanc.

Blanc, the founder of the Monte Carlo gambling resort, was well aware of the desperate character of many of his customers. Knowing that they included the scum and riffraff of the world, he took precautions against them. He never carried any money, which fact he announced so frequently and publicly that it was known everywhere along the Riviera that the millionaire Blanc never had a penny on his person. But he carried in a pocketbook a draft on red paper for several hundred thousand francs, payable to the indorsee. He feared kidnaping as much as robbery, and in case of abduction he intended to ransom himself with this draft. But the instructions at his office were not to cash a red draft with his signature unless a telegram was received from him ordering it to be done.

Too Personal.

"I want you to notify the paper man not to leave this Social Recorder here in the future," said Mr. Lucky Strike to his life partner.

"Why?" inquired Mrs. Strike.

"Why, they've got a story here about that young chump who is going to marry Laura and refer to him as her finance."

"Oh, I see—a typographical error!"

"Typographical error! Bah! Error of fact. I have been her finance for the last twenty years, and, judging from the prospects of the young man she insists is the only one she will ever marry, I will continue to act in that capacity for the next twenty. Stop the paper."—Philadelphia Times.

A Good Place to Stop.

He really ought not to have gone into the Latin class that day. He was called up first and read as far as he had prepared. Then he skirmished on a little further. This is the way it went:

"I, Ulysses, saw her (Dido's) heavenly form advancing like a goddess in the sunlight. I sprang toward her, and she welcomed me. Her hair fell down upon her shoulders like the sunbeams on Olympus. Her eyes shone like two jewels of the sea. I—I threw my arms—my arms—about—about her—her neck—neck, and—and—that's as far as I got, professor."—Exchange.

Remarkable Lakes.

On the Mangishlak peninsula, in the Caspian sea, there are five small lakes. One of them is covered with salt crystals strong enough to allow man and beast to cross the lake on foot. Another is as round as any circle and of a lovely rose color. Its banks of salt crystal form a setting white as the driven snow to the water, which not only shows all the colors from violet to rosy red, but from which rises a perfume of violets. Both the perfume and the color are the result of the presence of seaweeds.

An Elaborate Reasoner.

"You are base enough to confess that you love her for her wealth!"

"My dear sir," answered Count Fuscads, "that is not baseness. That shows my democratic breadth of ideas combined with consistent respect for tradition."

"You should love her for herself."

"My dear sir, beauty, intellect and refinement are mere accidents of birth, but money is an evidence of ancestral and possibly hereditary foresight and force of character."—Washington Star.

Queer Birds.

"I notice in this morning's paper," said the new boarder, "an advertisement about 'a good cotton duck.' What's a cotton duck?"

"Give it up," replied the star boarder. "Now, if it was an india rubber chicken Mrs. Starvem could tell us something about that."—Philadelphia Press.

He Was Willin'.

"You are granted a divorce," said the lawyer to a colored client, "but you'll have to give her alimony."

"All right, suh," was the eager reply. "She kin have Alimony ef she wants him, but Lawd help him w'en he gits her!"—Atlanta Constitution.

The Superior Being.

Little Boy—Well, that's the queerest thing I ever saw.

Mother—What is?

Little Boy—I just saw our schoolteacher at the corner of the street a-laughin' just like other people.

Contradictory.

"I asked," moaned Raoul, "have zis man a good standing in ze community? You say, 'Yes, he has been sitting on ze bench twenty years.' Oh, zis language!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

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Can anyone suppose that we would double the necessary cost of our brewing without a vital reason?

Would we spend so much on cleanliness? Would we cool the beer in plate glass rooms? Would we filter all the air that touches it? Would we age it for months? Would we sterilize every bottle?

Schlitz

We do it to attain absolute purity—to avoid the remotest possibility of germs—to make Schlitz Beer healthful.

Why accept a common beer, brewed without any of these precautions, when Schlitz Beer costs no more?

Your dealer may prefer to furnish a beer that pays a little more profit; but does it pay you to permit it? Isn't pure beer—Schlitz Beer—worth asking for?

Ask for the Brewery Bottling.

For sale at all dispensaries in the State, in quart and pint bottles.

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Language.

Language is the subtlest instrument ever played on by man. Its variations are illimitable—that is, they are limited only by the powers of the human mind and soul in all possible situations. The power of words or speech exceeds that of music because language is more than music and even includes music. Language in the hands of a master is pregnant with every meaning.

A nation's language is at once an expression and a mold of its character, reflecting from century to century the development of its civilization and its advance in intellectual and moral culture, in learning and refinement. The flexible Greek tongue was the product and the instrument of the subtle Greek intellect. The distinctive qualities of the classic speech of the Roman declare the dignity and the virile energy which were inseparable from the old Roman.—Portland Oregonian.

Scattered Too Much.

"It always pays to be conservative," said the careful man. "Now, I recall the case of the man from Dyersville, Dyer county, Tenn.

"'I can lick any man in Dyersville,' he announced one day in the main street of that village.

"There was no response. 'I can lick any man in Dyer county,' he then proclaimed.

"Still there was no reply to the challenge. Emboldened by the success of his bluff, the man shouted, 'I can lick any man in Tennessee!'

"At that a long, lank mountaineer peeled off his coat and wiped up the street with the boaster.

"'Gentlemen,' said the braggart, as he brushed off his clothes, 'the trouble with me is that I scatter too durn much!'"

Exhausted Brain Cells.

Nerve specialists say that a great many suicides are the direct results of exhausted brain cells. When you find yourself becoming morose and despondent, when you are conscious that the zest of life is evaporating, that you are losing the edge of your former keen interest in things generally and that your life is becoming a bore, you may be pretty sure that you need more sleep; that you need country or outdoor exercise. If you get these, you will find that all the old enthusiasm will return. A few days of exercise in the country rambling over the hills and meadows will erase the dark pictures which haunt you and will restore buoyancy to your animal spirits.—Success.

Getting Into a Life Buoy.

The average person in danger of drowning usually attempts to lift a life buoy over his head, with the result that he is immediately plunged deeper into the water. A good swimmer can do this with a sudden upward jerk, but with the nonswimmer it is almost an impossible feat.

What he should do when he has seized the buoy is to place both hands, palms downward, on the buoy on the part nearest the body, pressing it downward and slightly away, when the farther part of the buoy will rise out of the water and actually fall over the head. The arms can then be put through easily, "and there you are."

History in Six Words.

War.
Poverty.
Peace.
Prosperity.
Pride.
War.—Wall Street Journal.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., July 26.

STEAMERS.

Undaunted, (Br) 2,026 tons, Elliott, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Tantalton, (Br) 1,984 tons, Berry, Heide & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Arthur V S Woodruff, 155 tons, Devereaux, to master.
Nokomis, 245 tons, Sawyer, to master.
Clarence A Schafner, (Br) 158 tons, Kennedy, C D Mafflit.
Islesboro, 626 tons, Trimm, C D Mafflit.
Chas H Valentine, 536 tons, Williams, to master.

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind. †

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing of the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, July 25.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 49c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market dull at $1.50 per barrel for strained and $1.55 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.25 for dip, $3.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin steady at $1.10@1.15; tar firm at $1.50; crude turpentine firm at $1.40, 2.50@2.60.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	92
Rosin	93
Tar	37
Crude turpentine	186

Receipts same day last year—104 casks spirits turpentine, 345 barrels rosin, 43 barrels tar, 108 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 8¾c for middling.

Receipts— — bales; same day last year, 1.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm, Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 75c.

CORN—Firm; 65@67½c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13½c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5¼@6¾c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@5c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 25.—Money on call was quoted nominal; time money strong; 60 days, 4¼ per cent; 90 days, 5 per cent.; six months 6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5¼@6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486@486.125 for demand and 483.75@483.875 for sixty day bills. Posted rates were 484½ and 487½. Commercial bills 483@483½. Bar silver 54¾. Mexican dollars 42½. U. S. refunding 3's, registered, 106¾; U. S. refunding 3's, coupon, 106¾; U. S. 3's, registered, 107¾; do. coupon, 108¾; U. S. 4's, new registered, 134½; do. coupon, 135¾; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 111; U. S. 4's, old coupon, 111; U. S. 5's, registered, 101¾; do. coupon, 103; Southern R'y, 5's, 113 offered. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 84¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 31¾; Manhattan L 133; New York Central 117¾; Reading 47¾; do. 1st preferred 80¼; do. 2nd preferred 65½; St. Paul 138¾; do. pref'd, 170; Southern Railway 20⅝; do. pref'd 84; Amalgamated Copper 88¼; People's Gas 99⅝; Tennessee Coal and Iron 37¾; U. S. Leather 6⅞; U. S. Leather, preferred, 78; Western Union 88; U. S. Steel 29¾; do. pref'd 69⅞; Virginia Carolina Chemical Co., 37⅞; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 108; sales — shares. Standard Oil 580 bid.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 119¼@119¾; do. preferred, 31½; do. bonds, fours, —. Atlantic Coast Line, common 120 asked; do. preferred, no sale.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 25.—Rosin strong. Strained, common to good, $2 00@2 02½. Spirits turpentine firm at 53½.

CHARLESTON, July 25.—Spirits turpentine steady at 48¾c; sales — casks. Rosin steady; sales — barrels; A, B, C, $1 60; D, $1 60, E $1 65; F, $1 70; G, $1 80; H, $2 20; I, $2 65; K, $2 80; M, $2 90; N, $3 00; W G, $3 15; W W $3 35.

SAVANNAH, July 25.—Spirits turpentine firm at 50c; receipts 846 casks; sales 992 casks; exports 1,116 casks. Rosin—Market firm; receipts 1,257 barrels; sales 239 barrels; exports 2,638 barrels: A, B, C, $1 65; D, $1 65; E, 1 70; F, $1 75, G, $1 85; H, $2 30; I, $2 75; K $3 90; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 25; W W, $3 45.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 25.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of seven to twenty-five points under higher Liverpool cables, the closing advance in New Orleans yesterday and continued dry, hot weather in sections of the belt believed to be in need of rains. July opened at 13.40 bid; August sold up to 13.45; September reached 10.92 on the call and October sold at 10c. Immediately after the call, however, the market eased off under realizing and offerings of long cotton. July sold down to 13.25, and while August showed relative firmness the latter options declined from five to eight points from the best point of the morning. Speculation was not particularly active and the trading was less excited, though sentiment continued to show the general apprehension as to the course of the near-by options. The market closed steady with prices net two to eighteen points higher.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Cotton quiet at 13.50c; net receipts 44 bales; gross receipts 44 bales; stock 157,405 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: July 13.30, August 13.32, September 10.83, October 9.91, November 9.74, December 9.73, January 9.69, February 9.68, March 9.68.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 13.50; middling gulf 13.75c; sales — bales.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 282 bales; exports to Great Britain 116 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 750 bales; stock 213,573 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 282 bales; exports to Great Britain 116 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent — bales; exports to Japan — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,690,889 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,777,165 bales; exports to France 777,332 bales; exports to the Continent 2,809,798 bales; exports to Japan 135,133 bales.

July 25.—Galveston, nominal at 12¼, net receipts 20 bales; Norfolk, steady at 12¾c, net receipts — bales; Baltimore, nominal at 13¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 13.50c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal at —c, net receipts — bales; Philadelphia, steady at 13.75c, net receipts 71 bales; Savannah, firm at 13¼c, net receipts — bale; New Orleans, quiet at 13¼c, net receipts 113 bales; Mobile, nominal at —c, net receipts — bales; Memphis, quiet at 12 13-16c, net receipts 10 bales; Augusta, nominal at 13c, net receipts 3 bales; Charleston, nominal —, net receipts 35 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Flour was moderately active, closing steady; Minnesota patents $4 40@4 65; winter patents $3 90@4 30. Rye flour dull; fair to good $3 90@3 25. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 81c. Options were dull but fairly well sustained owing to a higher corn market and light speculative offerings. Near the close further advances occurred and the last prices showed ½@¾c net rise. The sales included: No. 2 red 83¾c; July closed 81¾c; September closed 81¾c; December closed 81¾. Corn—Spot firm; No 2 58c. The option market showed a fair advance on covering inspired by hot weather in the Southwest and further crop damage talk. The close was very firm on good outside support, based on bad crop news, prices showing ¾c net advance: July closed 58¾c; September closed 57¾c; December closed 57¾c. Oats—Spot dull; No. 2, 40¾c. Options quiet but generally steady. Lard was steady; Western steam $7 80; refined steady; July closed at $7 80, nominal; continent $8 00; compound 7¼@7¾c. Pork dull; family $17 50@17 75; short clear $16 00@17 75; mess 16 50@17 25. Butter was steady; extra creamery 19¼; State dairy 14@18c. Cheese unsettled; State, full cream fancy, small colored, 10¼c; small white 10¼c. Potatoes steady; Jersey $2 25@2 50; Southern $1 75@2 05; Long Island $2 25@2 50; Virginia sweets $2 50@3 00. Tallow quiet; city ($2 per package) 4¼@4¾c; country (package free) 4¾@4¾c. Molasses firm; open kettle, good to choice, 31@40c. Rice fair; domestic, fair to extra 4¼@6¼c; Japan nominal. Eggs steady to firm; State and Pennsylvania firsts to extras 17@18¼c. Coffee—Spot Rio was quiet; No. 7 invoice 5½c; mild quiet; Cordova 7@11c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar 2 15-16c; refined was firm; confectioner's $4 85; mould A $5 25; cut loaf $5 60; crushed $5 60; powdered $5 10; granulated $5 00; cubes $5 25. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 12; grain 1¾. Cabbages easy; Baltimore, per crate, 75c@$1 00; Long Island, per 100, $3 00@4 00. Cotton seed oil quiet, steady. Prime crude f. o. b. mills 28@30c, new crop; prime summer yellow 43c bid; off summer yellow 38c; prime white 47@48c; prime winter yellow 47c; prime meal $27 00@27 50, nominal.

CHICAGO, July 25.—There was considerable strength in wheat at the close to-day with September up ½c@1c. Corn ruled very strong with September 1¢ higher. Oats were firm to strong, final figures being ½c higher. Provisions closed weak and 10 to 32c lower.

CHICAGO, July 25.—Cash prices: Flour market was steady at the quotations: winter patents $3 75@3 90; straights $3 50@3 70; spring patents $4@4 40; straights $3 60@3 90; bakers' $3 60@3 80. Wheat—No. 2 spring 80; No. 3 spring 75@80c; No. 2 red 75¾@78c. Corn—No. 2 —c; No 2 yellow 54c. Oats—No. 2 31@32c; No. 2 white 41½@42½c; No. 3 white 38@42c. Rye—No. 2 51@53. Mess pork, per barrel, $13 55@13 60. Lard, per 100 lbs, $7 52½@7 55. Short rib sides, loose, $7 87½@8 00. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 50@7 62½. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 50@8 62½. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 75¾, 77, 75¾, 76¾c; July, new 75¾, 77, 75¾, 76¾c; September, old, 76¼, 77¾, 76¼, 77¾c; September, new, 76@75¾, 77¼, 75¼, 77@77½c. Corn—No. 2 July 50¾@50¾, 51¾, 50¾, 51¾c; September 50¼@50¾, 52¼, 50¼, 52½c. Oats—No. 2, July 40¼@41, 42, 40¾, 41¼c; September 33¼, 33¾, 33¼@33¾, 33¾c; December 33¾, 34¾, 33¾, 34¾; May 35¼@35¾, 36¼, 35¾, 36¾. Mess pork, per bbl—September $14 07½, 14 10, 13 77½, 13 80. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $7 82½, 7 90, 7 75, 7 75; October $7 65, 7 65, 7 55, 7 55. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—September $8 22½, 8 25, 8 00, 8 02½; October $8 07½, 8 07¾, 7 90, 7 90.

FOREIGN MARKETS

By Cable to the Morning Star

LIVERPOOL, July 25.—Cotton: Spot, in fair demand; prices four points lower; American middling fair 7.10d; good middling 6.88d; middling 6.64d; low middling 6.38d; good ordinary 6.12d; ordinary 5.92d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 3,000 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,100 bales American. Receipts none.

Futures opened firm and closed steady; American middling (g o c): July 6.38d; July and August 6.37@6.38d; August and September 6.33d; September and October 5.88@5.89d; October and November 5.47d; November and December 5.34@5.35d; December and January 5.39@5.30d; January and February 5.28d; February and March 5.27d; March and April 5.27d.

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A FISH OUT OF WATER

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A German scientist—he could only have been a German—once conceived, we are told, a plan to train a fish to live out of water. He placed a thriving little carp in a small tank and with infinite patience and great exactness removed from the tank one spoonful of water every day, at the same time increasing gradually the amount of oxygen in the water. In time the water barely covered the carp, and still it thrived. The quantity of water continued to diminish, and, by slowly adapting its method of breathing to the new conditions, the fish began to breathe air and indeed became quite terrestrial in its habits before the tank was entirely dry. The scientist had grown to love the carp. He fed it from his own hand, and now that it was living in the same element with himself he took it from the tank and left it as free to follow its own devices as was the family cat. The little fish also loved its master. It followed him about from place to place, flopping along after him, stopping only occasionally to leap for a passing fly. One day the scientist was crossing a bridge. The carp, as usual, was at his heels, enjoying the pleasant air of the countryside and uttering from time to time a little sound expressive of delight and contentment. About the middle of the bridge a fat housefly was sunning itself on the rail. The carp spied the fly and jumped for it, but miscalculating the distance went over the rail into the river—and was drowned.—Great Round World.

How Blisters Are Raised.

A blister is the vesicle, or bladder, which is formed by an effusion of serum—the watery portion of the blood—underneath the scarf, or outer skin. Any such powerful irritant as boiling water may produce blisters, and we may regard their formation as an effort of nature to protect the true and acutely sensitive inner skin from attack.

The fact speaks for itself, but the reason for this injurious action of scalding water has a much deeper sent. Our blood vessels are supplied with nerves, and the stimulation of these causes in some cases dilatation and in others contraction. Any excessive stimulus will cause paralysis of the muscular coat of the vessels and consequent stagnation of the blood in these parts, and then their nutrition is impaired.

It is owing to the condition thus induced by scalding water that the serum oozes through the vessel wall and makes its way into the surrounding tissue. This raises the upper and insensible skin into a blister, which probably takes its name from the Anglo-Saxon blcestan, to blast or puff.

The Flight of Time.

One day "Uncle Chet" Thomas drove out to South Topeka to sell a man a horse. The man was no judge of horseflesh and knew it. So after looking the animal over he told "Uncle Chet" to come out again in about ten days. "A friend of mine who knows a horse when he sees it will be here then," he said, "and I'll see what he thinks. And, by the way," he added, "how old did you say the horse was?" "Seven years old comin' February," said "Uncle Chet" as he gathered up the reins and drove away. "Uncle Chet" drove out to South Topeka again. The prospective purchaser was there, and after looking the horse in the mouth asked his age. "Twelve years old this spring," replied "Uncle Chet," smiling blandly. "But," broke in the man who wanted to buy the horse, "you told me not ten days ago that he was only seven." "So I did," squeaked "Uncle Chet"—"so I did. My, how time does fly!"—Topeka Capital.

An Ancient Tragedy.

A historical paper in Lord Montagu's collection in London tells of a strange tragedy "done in Holborn, a little before Christmas," several centuries ago. "A boy seven years old came up into a gentleman's chamber and prattled to him and drew his sword and flourished with it. The gentleman, being in bed, wondered to see the boy toss his blade so and said: 'So, good boy, thou hast done well. Put in the sword.' The boy persisting, the gentleman rose and held him the scabbard, and the rude handed lad, thinking to sheath the sword, lustily chopt it into his belly. Company were called. One offered to strike the child. 'Let him alone,' quoth the gentleman. 'God is just. This boy's father did I kill five years since and none knew. Now he hath revenged it.' And the gentleman died the second dressing."

How Oysters Grow.

A man who has devoted much time to the study of the oyster says that this bivalve is born with his shell on and that he grows only in the summer time. The beard of an oyster is not only his breathing organ—that is, his lungs—but it also serves to convey food to his mouth. When the warm, calm days of June come the oyster opens his shell and by means of his beard begins building an additional story to his house. This he does by depositing very, very fine particles of carbonate of lime till at last they form a substance as thin as silver paper and exceedingly fragile. Then he adds more and more till at last the new shell is as hard as the old shell.

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Animals Becoming Extinct.

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Shelley Liked Bread.

The poet Shelley was very simple in his tastes and found his chief pleasure in long, solitary rambles. Bread became his chief sustenance when his regimen attained to that austerity which afterward distinguished it. He could have lived on bread alone without repining.

"Do you know," he said one day, to a friend, with much surprise, "that Mr. G. does not like bread? Did you ever know a person who disliked bread?" His friend explained to him that Mr. G. probably had no objection to bread in moderate quantity at a proper time and with the usual adjuncts and was only unwilling to devour several pounds of dry bread at a meal.

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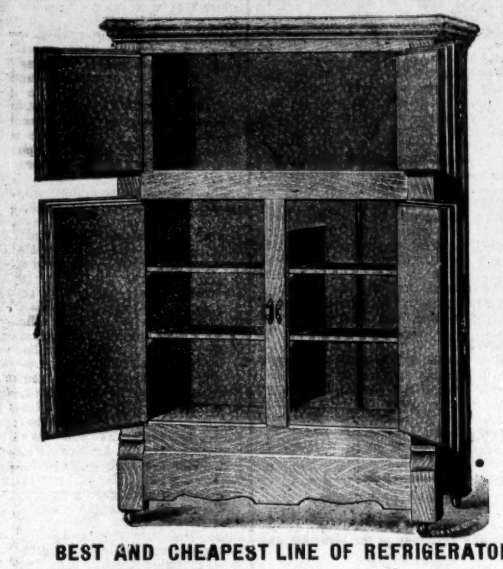

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Schedule in Effect April 12, 1903.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington 3:30 p m, arrives Lumberton 5:46 p m, Pembroke 6:10 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m, arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.

TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4:05 a m, Hamlet 6:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:52 a m, Pembroke 10:03 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:30 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 20 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	8 55 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	10 45 p m
Ar Chester	10 35 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 33 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 05 a m
Ar Atlanta	3 50 p m	7 50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 30 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	6 50 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Tampa	6 45 a m	6 00 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 55 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 50 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Portsmouth	8 00 a m	5 35 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10 30 a m	7 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 15 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	9 36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 25 p m	11 25 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 13 p m

Through Pullman sleepers from Hamlet to all points North, South and Southwest.

For tickets, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to Thomas D. Meares, General Agent, Wilmington, N. C. ap 15 tf

SUMMER SCHEDULE

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Leave every half hour from 6:00 A. M. to 11:30 P. M., daily except Sunday. SUNDAY—Every half hour from 8:30 A. M. to 11:30 P. M.

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Leave every half hour from 6:30 A. M. to 12:00 P. M., daily except Sunday. SUNDAYS—Every half hour from 8:30 A. M. to 12:00 P. M.

SPECIAL CAR FOR WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH will connect daily with A. C. L. train No. 50 due Wilmington at 11:20 P. M. Mondays this car will leave the Casino, Wrightsville Beach, at 5:00 A. M., to connect with A. C. L. train No. 51 leaving Wilmington 6:00 A. M.

BEACH CAR: For the accommodation of those who may desire to leave the Beach after regular cars have ceased running, an extra will be left on the Seashore Hotel siding every night, which can be chartered for the trip to Wilmington and return for $10.00. The Motorman in charge can be reached at the Company's Baggage room, near that point. Bell 'Phone No. 1202.

Freight Service.

Leave Front and Princess streets 6:00 A. M., daily except Sunday.

Leave Ninth street Depot 9:30 A. M., daily (including Sunday).

Leave Ninth street Depot 1:30 P. M., daily except Sunday.

Leave Ninth street Depot 5:30 P. M., daily except Sunday.

Leave Ninth street Depot 8:30 P. M., daily except Sunday.

The Express Car will receive freight at Front and Princess streets from 8:30 A. M. to 6:00 A. M. only.

FREIGHT DEPOT: The freight Depot will be open for the receipt of freight from 8:30 A. M. to 7:30 P. M. Sundays 8:30 to 9:30 A. M. No freight will be received at other points in the city, except as above specified.

Freight which is received within twenty minutes of time car is due to leave will be held for next regular trip.

MARKING AND PREPAYING: Freight will not be received unless plainly marked with name of the consignee and fully prepaid.

LAUNDRY: When packed in trunks, handbags, or hampers, Laundry will be handled as baggage.

BAGGAGE: Baggage will be received and delivered at the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line depots; all pieces must be checked, and no piece will be delivered except on presentation of duplicate check.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

LOW ROUND TRIP

Rates From Wilmington.

$18.00—Washington, D. C., and return. Tickets on sale daily, June 1st to September 30th, final limit October 31st, 1903.

$13.50 to Baltimore and return, Sovereign Grand Lodge Odd Fellows; tickets on sale September 18th, 19th and 20th. Must be deposited with Joint Agent and on payment of $1.25, limit will be extended, good leaving Baltimore October 3rd, 1903.

$11.85 Washington, D. C., and return, account Grand Fountain United Order of True Reformers, September 1st to 8th, 1903, inclusive. Tickets will be on sale August 30th, September 1st and 2nd. Final limit to reach starting point September 10th, 1903.

W. J. CRAIG,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.
H. M. EMERSON,
Traffic Manager.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect May 24, 1903.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 38 p m
Ar Wilson	1 18 p m	10 35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 23 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 25 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 53 p m	3 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Washington	11 40 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 38 a m	9 13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 05 a m	11 32 a m
Ar New York	7 15 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 45
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 37 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk		9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 30 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 48 a m
Ar Weldon	9 43 p m	11 46 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 37 p m	1 00 p m
Ar Wilson	11 18 p m	1 59 p m
Ar Goldsboro	7 16 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	5 00 a m	3 45 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 25 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar Savannah	6 30 p m	3 00 a m	6 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville		9 00 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Tampa		10 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 35 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Savannah	12 40 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	4 50 p m	6 25 a m
Ar Florence	7 35 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 10 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar 8 05 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar 5 00 p m
Ar Sanford	1 58 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound
Lv Wilmington	3 25 p m	Ar 12 15 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Penna R. R. for all points east.

W. J. CRAIG,
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H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.
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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

[Time Table No. 16

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	2 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 23	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

oct 23 tf S. L. DILL, Supt.

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From New York for Wilmington.

NAVAHOE.....Saturday, July 25
CARIB.....Saturday Aug. 1

From Wilmington for New York.

CARIB.....Saturday, July 25
NAVAHOE.....Saturday, Aug. 1

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CARIB.....Tuesday, July 21
NAVAHOE.....Tuesday, July 28

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19 State Street, New York.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 26.

THERE WILL BE NO STRIKE.

Book-binders in the Government Printing Office Abandoned the Intention of Walking Out.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The Book-binders' Union, which has been fighting the re-instatement of W. A. Miller, the assistant foreman in the government printing office, has abandoned any intention of walking out in case Miller resumes work.

President Tatum, of the International Brotherhood of Book-binders, is now en route here from Chicago to advise with the local leaders. The latter have decided to abide by the decision of the public printer and avoid any clash with the government.

Although failing to appear at the beginning of office hours, Miller reported for duty about 10 o'clock this morning and was assigned to duty. He remained only a few minutes and left, after explaining that Saturday was a short day and he would wait until Monday for further work.

The union officials announced to-day that there would be no action on their part for thirty days, during which they anticipated that the question would be solved by the public printer. It is expected that a national arbitration council will meet to-morrow to discuss the situation.

The union officials to-day called on Secretary Cortelyou and Public Printer Palmer and left with them a statement regarding what was done at the meeting of the book-binders last night. It set forth that Miller would be permitted under protest to continue in the position to which he has been reinstated, and that there would be nothing done at present by the book-binders that would interfere with the work of the office. It gives assurance that this action is inspired by a regard for the action of the President and for the Federal statutes, and expresses the belief that the charges against Miller will be substantiated on investigation. A similar statement was filed with the civil service commission.

Two members of the executive council of the National Book-binders Union arrived in Washington to-night, but the local officers refused to give their names. The local book-binders admit that the letter to the President makes the government printing office an "open" shop, and say that under it no objection would be made to a non-union man working there if duly certified by the civil service commission. At the same time an effort would be made to induce such workmen to join the union.

FOR THE TURKISH EMPIRE.

New Cruiser Launched at Cramp's Shipyard—First Warship Ever Built in This Country for the Sultan.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, July 25.—In the presence of a distinguished gathering of diplomatic foreign and American naval officers and eminent citizens of Philadelphia, the Turkish cruiser Medjidi, the first warship ever built here for the Ottoman empire, was launched to-day at Cramp's ship yard.

The sponsor for the new addition to the Sultan's navy was Mrs. Ewin S. Cramp, and the baptism was an evasion of the Koran's teaching turned into a graceful compliment of the American people. The Koran forbids a Turkish woman from participating in a christening at which wine is used. The difficulty was overcome by the selection of an American woman, Mrs. Cramp, to break the bottle on the bow of the sea-fighter. The general dimensions of the vessel are as follows: Length on load line, 330 feet; beam extreme, 42 feet; draft, mean, 16 feet; displacement, 3,300 tons; speed, 22 knots.

The armament consists of two six-inch rapid-fire guns, 45 calibres long; eight 4.7 rapid-fire guns, 50 calibres; six three pounder rapid-fire guns, 50 calibres; six seven-pounder rapid-fire guns, 50 calibres; one two-inch field gun; two torpedo tubes for fourteen-inch Whitehead torpedoes.

RABUN GAP RAILROAD.

Work of Construction Begun in Tennessee and North Carolina.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., July 25.—W. H. Wells, chief engineer of construction of the Southern railway, to-day stated that work had begun thirty miles south of this city on the construction of the Rabun Gap extension of the Southern to the Georgia line, and that in North Carolina a new company has been chartered which is building toward the Tennessee line the Walhalla branch of the Southern to connect with the Rabun Gap line. The new branch will be 200 miles long and will give less than a one per cent. grade to tide water.

KENTUCKY GRAND JURY

Closed Its Investigation Without Returning Additional Indictments.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSON, KY., July 25.—The grand jury adjourned this afternoon without returning any additional indictments. The foreman stated that just as the jury was about to take a vote on one of the feud cases, ex-Senator Alex. Hargus rushed into the jury room and demanded that Riley Colleron, who had testified against the alleged assassins of Town Marshal Thomas Cockrill, be indicted for perjury, and that this interruption caused the jury to close its investigation.

A semi-official announcement is made at Sofia, Bulgaria, confirming the denial that Prince Ferdinand's ministers advised him to depart, owing to the existence of a conspiracy against him, and asserting that his departure is a sign of internal quietude in Bulgaria.

No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles, causing twenty-four tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me." Equally as good for Burns and all Aches and Pains. Only 25 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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INTERMENT OF POPE'S REMAINS.

At Sundown Last Evening the Most Solemn of All Obsequies Took Place.

AT THE SHRINE OF ST. PETER.

The Body Sprinkled With Holy Water, Absolution Given and the Foot of Leo Kissed for the Last Time. The Coffins Sealed.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ROME, July 25.—The body of Pope Leo was interred in St. Peters' to-night. The strike of the hammer which resounded through the immense dome of the cathedral announced to the earnest gathering in the nave that Leo XIII had been laid to rest. At sundown the most important and most solemn of all the obsequies took place. The front doors of the Basilica were closed and the vast church, except for a row of lights at the shrine of St. Peter, the candles about the bier, and those persons who had quietly and with the utmost reverence gathered there, appeared deserted.

About 1,000 persons had received invitations to attend the ceremonies. The cardinals, who met earlier in the Vatican, entered the chapel, the choir waiting there for the arrival of the procession, Cardinal Oreglia, the carmelengo, holding the keys of command.

Through special permission a representative of the Associated Press was allowed to enter the Chapel of the Sacrament before the remains of the dead Pontiff were removed.

Cardinal Rampolla, as arch priest of the Basilica, was waiting outside the gates, in violet robes, surrounded by the chapter of the cathedral, which was led by Monsignor Ceppetelli, who conducted the service. Drs. Lapponi and Mazzoni directed the work of the removal of the bier, which was executed by eight sediari, or Pope's carriers, attired in their brilliant red brocade costumes. They at first tried to raise the bier, but finding it too heavy, they slowly slid it on to a low car with noiseless wheels.

Then, to the strains of the "Miserie," which walled through the loft church, and preceded by a glittering cross held aloft, the procession, carrying candles and torches, slowly left the chapel and went up the church, passing the bronze statue and beyond the shrine of St. Peter. Those gathered fell to their knees.

After slow progress around the church the sad cortege arrived at the chapel choir, the bier being so carried that the dead Pope entered head first, according to the ceremonial, the chapel from semi-obscurity flashing into the brilliancy of the suddenly turned on electric light. Here all those who had received invitations were stopped, remaining in the main part of the Basilica behind a double line of the Swiss guards in their peculiar yellow, red and black uniforms, and armed with halberds and serpentine swords.

Within the chapel was Count Camillo Pecci, a nephew of the Pope, wearing the red uniform of a general of the Noble Guard. In the chapel the music changed to notes of joy and triumph and "In paradisium" rang out with telling effect. From the outside the five bells of St. Peter's rang their accustomed salute to the coming night, mingling harmoniously with the music of the choir.

The scene in the chapel was most remarkably effective. The bier bearing the body was raised by Cardinal Oreglia. It was placed in the centre backed by an altar with a beautiful image of the Madonna, before which were burning four immense candles in silver staffs.

Around the two sides of the chapel, in the choir seats, were thirty-six cardinals, all wearing violet robes except Cardinals Gotti and Pierrotti, who wore the white mantles of their orders; Cardinal Martinelli, in black, as an Augustinian and Cardinal Vives y Tuto in Franciscan brown.

The body was sprinkled with holy water, absolution was given and the foot of Leo XIII was kissed for the last time by Major Domo Caginiano, Master of the Chamber Bisleti, and Count Camillo.

The major domo then covered the venerable features and hands with a white silk veil, bordered with gold. Over this the prefect of ceremonies spread a larger silk veil, which covered the whole person. Fire was lighted in a brazier and blown by bellows, the sparks rising almost to the ceiling while Mgr. Bartolini read for twenty minutes the oratio brevis, eulogizing the dead Pontiff, and Notary Poponi, 86 years old, read out the burial record, a service which he performed upon the occasion of the deaths of Pope Gregory XVI and Pope Pius IX.

The monsignors of the Basilica, aided by the Noble Guard, then laid all that was mortal of Leo XIII in a cypress coffin lined with red satin and bearing on the cover an inlaid cross, the entire Sacred College and Prince Colma rising to their feet as a last tribute and sign of respect.

When the body had been carefully put in the coffin it was entirely concealed with the red velvet covering, which before had been on the bier.

When all had been arranged, the supreme prayer was said and the last benediction given, all present joining. Half suppressed sobs were heard on all sides.

The sad duties of sealing the coffins were softened and soothed by the sweetness of the singing choir and the prayers of the clergy.

When the last supreme moment came the heavy coffins, weighing in all 1,322 pounds, were rolled out of the chapel, preceded by mace bearers, singing as they went and followed by all the cardinals, among whom the bowed figure of Oreglia, the strong, the upright Vannutelli brothers, the white-haired Agliardi, and the immense black-browed Svampt were the most conspicuous. Pulleys were attached to the coffin and soon, to the strains of the "Benedictus dominus deus Israel," it was hoisted into the stone sarcophagus above the door, where it will remain until the grateful cardinals created by the Pontiff shall erect a suitable tomb in the Basilica of St. John Lateran, which was chosen by the Pope himself as his final resting place.

Thus was Pope Leo XIII consigned to his long rest.

Color and life were given to the whole scene by gendarmes and Palatine and Noble Guards. The last named have never left the remains since the Pope died.

Above the cardinal, behind a grating, were the ladies of the aristocracy and the family of the Pope.

The diplomatic body was also present as were many men of the Italian aristocracy led by Prince Madismo, who claims descent from Quinto's Fabius Maximus, in his uniform as papal postmaster general. General Decharette, the oldest veteran of the papal army who fought as commander of the Zouaves against the Italians in 1870, was also among those who attended the ceremony.

It is estimated that eighty thousand people passed the catafalque since Thursday morning. The last funeral mass in St. Peter's was celebrated this morning in the chapel of the choir by Mgr. Panicy, canon of the Vatican Basilica. At the same time funeral masses were celebrated in most of the churches of Rome.

The most imposing ceremony to-day was the reception by the Sacred College, in the hall of the consistory, of the whole diplomatic body accredited to the Vatican. All the diplomatic wore gorgeous uniforms and the cardinals had on their magnificent violet robes and were seated in huge armchairs, according to right of precedence. The Portuguese ambassador, M. Martins d'Antas, dean of the diplomatic corps, was at the head of the body. He advanced and delivered an address in French, expressing the sorrow of all the Powers at the death of Pope Leo, who had acquired the universal esteem of the world.

Cardinal Oreglia, dean of the college of cardinals, rose and answered in Italian. He thanked the diplomats in the name of the Sacred College for the part all the governments had taken in this mourning of the Church. He eulogized Pope Leo and his work during his long pontificate and ended with expressing the hope that God would suggest to the Sacred College a worthy successor to Leo XIII.

When the time came to take the fisherman's ring from Pope Leo's finger, it developed another was found in its place. This did not surprise any one, as, generally, the Pontiff does not wear it, the ring being less of an ornament than an unused seal. At the first meeting of the congregation of cardinals after the Pope's death, when the famous ring should have been broken, this cermony was omitted and it was put on record that the ring, for the moment, could not be found.

The fisherman's ring is known to have been lost twice before. So far it has not been discovered, but the Vatican authorities assure the Associated Press that the ring will undoubtedly be found.

On two other occasions the ring was taken from the papacy by force. In 1797 the French republicans, invading the papal states, despoiled Pius VI of all his valuables, and among them of the fisherman's ring. It was returned the next day, as it had no intrinsic value. When Pius VII was kidnapped in the middle of the night and was made to give up this ring, the Pope gave it up after breaking it in two pieces, which were kept in Paris until returned to Rome by Louis VIII.

Mgr. Farabulini, the famous Latin scholar, being unable to accept the task of writing the *Oratio Brevis*, (or Latin eulogy upon the late Pontiff, which will be buried with him,) the congregation of cardinals to-day selected Father de Angelis, a Jesuit, to undertake that duty.

THE CUP DEFENDERS.

Accidents Yesterday to the Columbia and the Reliance.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 25.—The racing season for the three American cup yachts, preliminary to the official trial races for the selection of the ninety footer to meet Shamrock III, was brought to a close to-day. The contest between the three big sloops was marred by an accident to the Columbia. To-day just after the old champion gybed around the second mark her topmast was carried away at close heel.

The Reliance also met with an accident, but not until after she had finished the race and was about to make her moorings outside of Goat Island. The big sloop came sliding into the harbor under mainsail, club topsail and jib. Giving a wide sweep the Reliance gybed her mainsail over to port to run to the mooring buoy. As she did so a puff of wind heeled her down, and the steel gaff buckled about ten feet from the jaws. The Reliance anchored immediately and the mainsail was lowered and unbent from the broken spar.

STEAMER MONGOLIA.

The Second Largest Ship Ever Built in the United States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CAMDEN, N. J., July 25.—The steamship Mongolia, built for the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, was launched to-day at the yard of the New York Shipbuilding Company. The Mongolia is the second largest ship ever built in the United States. She is to be used in the Philippine and China trade. Her sister ship, the Manchuria, will be launched in October. Miss Lucy Bell Kennedy, of Pittsburg, christened the Mongolia. The Mongolia was originally intended for an Atlantic transport ship but was purchased by the Pacific Mail Co.

The dimensions of the new steamship are: Length, 615 feet 8 inches; breadth, 65 feet; depth 51 feet 3 inches; indicated horse power 12,000; speed 16 knots; displacement 26,514 tons; gross tonage 13,500; passenger capacity, first cabin 350; second cabin 68; steerage 1,300. When laden she will draw 32 feet of water.

TRAIN WRECKERS.

Lexington-Atlanta "Flyer" Derailed Near Louisville—Eight Persons Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOUISVILLE, KY., July 25.—Train wreckers jeopardized the lives of over one hundred passengers on the Lexington-Atlanta "Flyer" of the Southern Railway last night at Tuskers, a small station fourteen miles from here.

The "Flyer" left here at 7:05 and an hour later, while running at a high rate of speed, ran into an open switch, which had undoubtedly been thrown for a siding with the purpose of wrecking the train. The "Flyer" first struck two cars of stone and crashed them into a boarding car filled with railroad employes. Eight persons, all railroad men, were seriously, although not fatally hurt. The engine, two freight cars and a passenger coach were demolished. Fortunately all passengers escaped injury although they received a severe shaking up. There is no clue to the miscreants who misplaced the switch.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

No Confirmation of Reports of Warlike Preparations Being Made.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PARIS, July 25.—The Associated Press learns that the dispatches received at the foreign office from Tokio and St. Petersburg, do not contain any confirmation of the reports published in London and Paris papers regarding war like preparations on the part of Russia and Japan. On the contrary, they continue to indicate, as they did ten days ago, that the relations between the two governments are still improving.

Bids for the construction of a dry-dock at Norfolk were opened to-day at the Navy Department. The limit of cost fixed by Congress is $1,200,000. John C. Rogers, New York, ($910,000) was the lowest bidder.

RACE WAR IN AN ILLINOIS TOWN.

Caused by the Brutal Assault by a Negro on the Wife of a White Farmer.

NEGRO HANGED AND BURNED.

A White Man Shot and Killed by a Negro. The Mob Attacked the Jail and Were Fired Upon--Several White Men Were Wounded.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DANVILLE, ILL., July 25.—This city is on the threshold of a race war. One negro, an unknown man from Evansville, Ind., who to-night shot and killed Henry Gatterman, white, has already been lynched by a mob of 600 men, who were later fired upon by the sheriff, three men being wounded. The mob was clamoring for the life of another negro named James Wilson, who has confessed to a brutal assault on the wife of a farmer at Alvon, Ill., just north of here.

The unknown negro met his fate while the mob was on the way to lynch Wilson. The angry throng was passing down East Main street when the negro became involved in an altercation with some of its members. They started after him and he pulled a gun, firing into the crowd. Henry Gatterman, a young butcher, who has recently returned from Fortress Monroe, fell mortally wounded and expired in a few seconds. The negro turned and fled but was caught by the officers within a block of the scene of the tragedy and hurried to the police station with the mob in hot pursuit, temporarily diverted from their march to the county jail.

The officers, with their prisoner, took refuge in the city building, barricading themselves behind the door of one of the offices. They could not check the mob, for it secured a long pole and tried to batter down a section of the wall and the door, both of which were very thick. On account of the overwhelming numbers of the mob it was useless for the officers to resist. The negro was seized and rushed to the spot where he had shot down Gatterman. It was the work of an instant to throw a rope around his neck and swing him up to the nearest telegraph pole. The mob did not delay long, but waited to see that their victim was dead. The life was slowly strangled out and he was left hanging, while the mob proceeded on to the county jail. The officers hope to save the second negro by some ruse.

Wilson, it is charged, went to the farm house while the woman was alone, and told her he was hungry. While she was getting him something to eat he entered the kitchen door and seized her. He fled, leaving her half dead. Afterward she managed to crawl to the nearest farm house where she told the story. A posse of officers started in pursuit of the negro and when Wilson was captured he was hurried to the county jail to prevent lyching. There the negro confessed.

Three other negroes have been attacked by members of the mob and severely beaten. One of them is named Ben Rich and the other two are said to be refugees from Evansville, Ind.

Some negroes are arming themselves and others are preparing for flight.

The victim of the mob later was identified as J. D. Mayfield. The mob changed its mind before attacking the jail and went back and cut down Mayfield's body. They rushed it to the public square and burned it in a bonfire, hacking it to pieces with knives as it burned.

Then they charged the jail and the sheriff and deputies fired, wounding several members of the mob, some fatally. Among the wounded are Adam Merry, fatally shot through the head; H. Hines, shot in neck and shoulder, may die; Otto Heinke, shot in the arm, will recover.

The mob repulsed, sent to a neighboring mining camp for dynamite and probably will attack the jail again. The mob is infuriated and threatens to lynch the sheriff and his deputies, also the negro turnkey in the jail.

After securing battering rams, it took the mob about half an hour to wreck the city prison, the negro being found hid in a safe. He was pulled from the safe, struck with sledges, knocked down, jumped upon and stamped to death. A rope was placed around his neck and his lifeless body was dragged through three blocks. An effort was made to hang the body to a telegraph pole but the rope broke. The mob which by this time numbered 5,000, then dragged the body to the jail and burned it.

While waiting for the men who were expected to bring the dynamite the mob marched up and down in front of the jail, stoning it and firing shots at random.

About a half hour after the message for the dynamite was sent a telephone message came from Himrod, a little town half way between Westville and Danville, saying that one of the men had been stopped there by citizens who had hurriedly set out from Danville to intercept him. They took from him a large quantity of dynamite which he was carrying. The other man with dynamite is believed to be on the way here. About half of company K, the colored organization, has assembled at the armory and is barricaded there in fear of an attack from the mob.

The entire reserve police force, numbering about twenty, has been called out and this, with twelve deputy sheriffs and Sheriff Whitlock, forms the garrison at the jail.

Wilson was interviewed in the jail. He said he was the man who visited the farm house and he admitted that he had attacked the woman, but denied that he had criminally assaulted her.

The sheriff implored the mob to let justice take its course, but he was interrupted by shouts from the mob, members of which loudly declared their determination to have the negro's life sooner or later.

They said that if they did not get him to-night they would storm the jail to-morrow. The jail is one block below the public square and three squares from the police station where the negro, Mayfield, was captured by the mob.

Company K, a colored troop, has its quarters here and the officials have prepared to call it out. Leaders of the mob declare they will try to kill the entire company if it comes out.

The Casualties.

The dead: J. D. Mayfield, Evansville, Ind., negro, lynched, and burned by the mob; Henry Gatterman, Danville, Ills., white, shot dead by Mayfield. Fatally wounded: Adam Merry, white, shot through the head by volley from jail. H. Hines, white, shot in neck and shoulders by volley from jail; Otto Heinke, white, shot in arm; Ben Rich, negro, badly beaten by mob. Patrolman Charles Lopp, clubbed on the head while defending Mayfield; Patrolman William Leverenz, badly injured internally by mob's battering ram while defending Mayfield; Fred Lorenz, shot three times in the leg in attack on jail; Mince Mobacks shot in attack on jail; Thomas Bell, shot in chest in attack on jail.

THE MANCHURIAN QUESTION.

Discussed at Length by an Official of the Russian Foreign Office—Japan's Pretentions Ridiculed.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 25.—Director Hartwig, of the Asiatic department of the Russian Foreign Office, talked long, earnestly and frankly to a representative of the Associated Press regarding Manchuria. He declared that he could not understand Prince Ching's statement to United States Minister Conger, but he presumed that the port question would be arranged. Russia, he said, excluded Harbin from the port possibilities because of its railway importance, but he could see no objection to two more other ports being opened.

Passing to the statement of American opinion regarding Manchuria, the director made a remarkably outspoken attack upon England. He said:

"I do not comprehend how Russia, whose foreign policy is the most straightforward, can be accused of duplicity, when England's double dealing is a question that should be apparent to everybody. Why does not anybody stop to consider how much the American-Manchurian trade amounted to before 1899. Whoever heard New Chwang mentioned before we brought order there? Who is building Dadney as a free port? "Russia has ten thousand miles of Chinese frontier," he said," shall we place ourselves on the same footing as others? When we saved Admiral Seymour from destruction, why did nobody protest against Kiachow? What is the outcry for? Does anybody suppose we are going to be compelled to relinquish the railway to marauders?

"I repeat that we do not fear war even with five powers. Our defeat in the Crimea is a glorious chapter in our history, and I do not believe that any five powers desire to get their new laurels like those of the Crimea. What can Japan do? Suppose Japan defeated the Russian army, we would crush Japan to sand. Japan exists upon Russian fish.

"It is your duty to expose England's duplicity. Some English dispatches surpass opera bouffe. Here is a dispatch just received stating that Japan is preparing for war and that the entire Japanese squadron is now at Vladivostock where foreign warships are not allowed at all."

Director Hartwig generally and specifically denied the reports regarding Russia's mobilization of troops.

KING EDWARD IN IRELAND.

Royal Party Left Dublin for County Down. Cheered by the People—The King's Message of Appreciation.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

DUBLIN, July 25.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra left Dublin by train shortly before noon to-day, accompanied by Princess Victoria and their suites, on their way to County Down, where they will visit the Marquis of Londonderry at the Hasmount Stewart residence. Notwithstanding the rain the royal party drove from the vice regal lodge in open carriages and halted at Phœnix Park to review thousands of school children. The route to the railroad station was packed with continuously cheering people, who gave the royal visitors a magnificent farewell.

A message from King Edward to the Irish people, issued this morning, expresses deep appreciation of the loyalty and affection with which the King and Queen were surrounded during their stay in Dublin and says that his Majesty trusts that in God's providence the Irish may enjoy blessings commensurate with the warmth of their hearts.

After the King left Dublin it was announced that he had donated $5,000 to the poor of the city.

GREAT TIMBER DEAL.

Parties Securing Great Tracts of Forest Lands in California and Oregon.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—The *Bulletin* says that E. H. Harriman and James J. Hill are uniting in a great timber deal whereby they, with a number of associates, will control the lumber market of the world. They are securing large tracts of forest land in Northern California and Oregon, through their agents, who have been for some time quietly buying property on the coast.

With the many minor holders which Harriman and his associates may count on, it is said that the plan is to merge the more valuable lands controlled by the Hill roads and the Southern Pacific.

FIRE AT NASHVILLE.

Commercial Hotel Badly Damaged—All the Guests Were Rescued.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NASHVILLE, TENN., July 25.—The Commercial Hotel was badly damaged by fire at an early hour this morning. All of the guests were rescued.

The fire is supposed to have started from a lighted cigarette or pipe that was left in a coat belonging to a waiter. The damage is estimated at $7,000 and is fully covered by insurance.

The building was occupied alternately during the war by Confederate and Federal troops and at one time was the headquarters of General Davis, who killed General "Bull" Nelson in Louisville.

FIGHT WITH MOONSHINERS.

Two Men Were Shot and Killed—Two Arrests Were Made.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BRISTOL, TENN., July 25.—In a fight between officers and a party of alleged moonshiners in Wise county, Virginia, near the Kentucky border, last night, James H. King, chief of police of the mining town of Stonega, Va., was shot and killed. Gordon Gilley, a member of King's party, shot and killed one of the alleged moonshiners. The name of Gilley's victim is not known. The officers succeeded in capturing two of the party and placed them in jail.

PEONAGE IN ALABAMA.

R. B. Franklin Convicted and Fined $1,000 in the United States Court.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., July 25.—The jury in the case of the United States against R. B. Franklin, charged with causing Patrick Mills, a negro, to be held in a condition of peonage, to-day brought in a verdict of guilty. Judge Jones imposed the minimum fine of $1,000 which was promptly paid. Judge Jones thanked the jury for their verdict.

A Shreveport, La., dispatch says: The plant of the Sun Planing Company, one of the largest lumber mills in the South, is on fire. The loss will be heavy.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Feverish and Excited--No Additional Failures Announced—A Breathing Spell for Hard Pressed Firms.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Today's short session of the Stock Exchange was feverish and excited throughout, as an after effect of the failures of two important exchange firms yesterday, and the dread that those failures would have a sequel in the suspension of other embarrassed firms. Throughout the wild fluctuations in prices of specialties the standard stocks showed evidence of the same kind of absorption and comparative stability which characterized them in the market most of the week, before yesterday's failure, had excited and upset the market. The day passed without announcement of additional failures. Despite the fact that no deliveries on contract are required on Saturday, and that some made on Friday carry over until Monday, thus giving a breathing spell for hard pressed firms, the absence of announcements of failures was not entirely reassuring as to the adjustment of difficulties. That such difficulties exist is now pretty well understood.

BASEBALL.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
New York, 5; Boston, 7.
Cleveland, 5; St. Louis, 4.
Detroit, 4; Chicago, 5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, 4; Cincinnati, 3.
Philadelphia, 5; New York, 4.
Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 3. Second game: Boston, 13; Brooklyn, 10.
Pittsburg, 6; St. Louis, 12.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Memphis, 7; Nashville, 6.
Shreveport, 7; Birmingham, 5.
New Orleans, 1; Atlanta, 2.

NEW YORK BANKS.

Statement of Clearing House Averages for the Past Week.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows: Loans $907,899,700, increase $884,200. Deposits $902,376,800, increase $7,168,700. Circulation $43,819,300, decrease $89,700. Legal tenders $78,142,500, increase $1,925,400. Specie $166,367,100, increase $5,503,700. Reserve $244,509,600, increase $7,429,100 Reserve required $225,594,200, increase $1,792,175. Surplus $18,915,400, increase $5,636,925. Ex-U. S. deposits $38,229,675, increase $5,634,000.

Robert Fitzsimons, former champion heavy weight pugilist of the world, and Miss Julia May Gifford, the actress, were united in marriage yesterday in San Francisco, Justice of the Peace Daniels performing the ceremony. About thirty persons, including several prominent local citizens, were present.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 50 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

Boarders will find large, well ventilated and cool rooms at 118 Market street; centre of business section; few steps to trolley cars; good fare and accommodations. Rates $3.50 per week. Mrs. Oscar Sorensen. jy 26 1t*

Free concert to-day at Wrightsville Beach Casino from 4 to 6 P. M. See other columns for programme. jy 26 1t

To Rent, for ensuing year, part of dwelling, on improved street, desirable locality. Possession given after 1st of August. Address "O," care this office. jy 26 3t

For Rent, the Diamond Saloon, South Front street, near the corner of Market street. Possession given October 1st. Apply to A. D. Wessell. jy 26 1t*

For Rent—Large furnished room; hot and cold baths, 218 South Second street. jy 24 3t

Ladies' Aid Society of Brooklyn Baptist Church will run an excursion to Carolina Beach, Wednesday, July 29th. Fare for round trip 25 cents. Refreshments served on boat and beach at city prices. jy 25 3t

Wanted—Agents to take orders for authorized "Life of Pope Leo XIII." Written with approbation and blessing of His Holiness. Over 600 pages. Elaborately illustrated. Sells at sight. Best terms. Books on credit; freight paid. Sample, with full instructions, postpaid free on application. Address Globe Bible Publishing Co., 723 Chestnut street, Phila., Pa. jy 24 3t

Agents—Catholic agents, attention! "Life of Pope Leo XIII," only authorized edition; written by the Pope's order by Monsignor O'Reilly, endorsed by entire Catholic Hierarchy; price $2.50; large colored portrait worth $1.00 free to subscribers. Agents wanted; highest terms; immense demand; outfit free. International Publishing Co., 44 N. 4th St., Philadelphia. jy 24 6t*

Six Room Cottage on "Summer Rest," Wrightsville, N. C., for rent. Store No. 108 North Water street for rent. "Wright Cottages" at Wrightsville, N. C., for rent, from August 1st. Three (3) Cottages on Wrightsville Beach for sale. Dick & Reilly, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, No. 110 Princess street. jy 17 tf

Dr. J. D. Webster, dentist, is now located at 203 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C., his old stand opposite steam laundry. Better prepared to do dental work and cheaper than ever. Sets of teeth, upper or under, from $5.00 up. Gold filling from $1.00 up; all other fillings 50 cents. Crowns from $2.00 up; bridge teeth $5.00. Extracting with the new system without pain, 25 cents, for 30 days. jy 15 1m.

Cashier Wanted—Lady Cashier, must have some knowledge of book-keeping. Address in own hand writing "Cashier," care Star. jy 15 tf.

Notice—There will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association held at the office of the undersigned, Wilmington, N. C., Tuesday, August 4th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy 7 25t

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Old newspapers, suitable for wrapping paper, for sale at reduced prices, in quantities. Apply at the office of THE MORNING STAR. je 21 tf

Just received, car of fine Georgia Melons, which will be on sale Monday morning at foot of Dock street. A. S. Winstead. je 21 tf

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Nice Pants from $1 to $1-25 and up to $5 a pair.
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